

Basic FATE (focus assessed transthoracic echocardiography)

FATE is the original focused echo protocol practiced since 1989. FATE is easily and quickly learned and can be applied in all clinical scenarios e.g.: pre-, per-, and postoperative, intensive care medicine, emergencies, resuscitation, ect. FATE can be performed even with the patient in the sitting position. FATE also encounters a quick guidance to interpret the echocardiographic findings and to put it into the clinical context.

FATE can be performed in all locations: OR, ICU, emergency room, pre-hospital, ambulances, in-flight, patients home – no limitations. Two FATE levels exist:

Basic FATE: Based on two-dimensional imaging of the easiest cardiac views including M-mode.

Advanced FATE: Basic FATE supplied with extended cardiac views and Doppler ultrasound for cardiac output and pressure measurement together with assessment of LV diastolic function.

Objective

Provide the attendees with basic echocardiographic needs for the non-cardiologist in order to guide cardiopulmonary optimization. The course is based on the very famous laminated FATE card, which is distributed in more than 25.000 pieces worldwide. Also available for I-phone and Android.

Who can attend?

Physicians from all specialities e.g.: Anaesthesiologists, intensivists, emergency physicians, internal medicine physicians, surgeons, general practitioners.

Date and Venue

15 August 2011

7 November 2011

Aarhus University Hospital, Skejby, Brendstrupgaardsvej 100, 8200 Aarhus N, Denmark

Programme

10:00	10:15	Introduction and welcome
10:15	11:10	Basic ultrasound and the FATE examination
11:10	11:25	Break with coffee
11:25	12:35	<i>Hands-on FATE 1 – Knapology and basic FATE views</i>
12:35	13:10	Lunch
13:10	13:45	Pitfalls, artifacts and LV function
13:45	14:45	<i>Hands-on FATE 2 – Basic FATE views + M-mode + measurement</i>
14:45	15:00	Break with coffee
15:00	15:45	Hemodynamics and Clinical Scenarios
15:45	16:00	New trends and evaluation
16:00	17:30	<i>Hands-on FATE 3 – Basic FATE views + extended views + M-mode + LV function</i>

Pre-course qualification:

No prior experience is required. **Language:** English, if any non-Danish-speaking participants.

Course convenor:

Professor Erik Sloth, Department of Anaesthesia and Intensive Care, Aarhus University Hospital, Skejby, having more than 20 years experience with focus assessed transthoracic echocardiography (TOE and TEE).

Fee: 400 Euro including lunch



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